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Puget Sound – Hammersley Inlet to Shelton

NOAA Chart 18457

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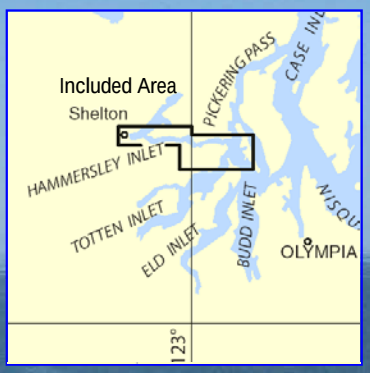

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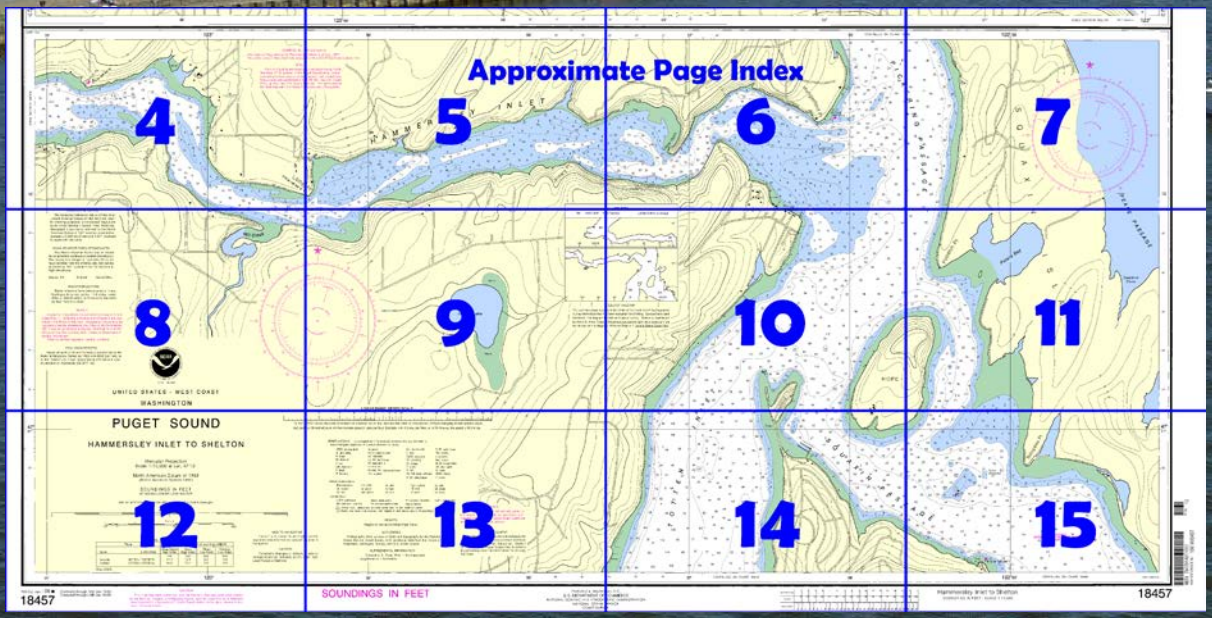

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What are Nautical Charts?

Nautical charts are a fundamental tool of marine navigation. They show water depths, obstructions, buoys, other aids to navigation, and much more. The information is shown in a way that promotes safe and efficient navigation. Chart carriage is mandatory on the commercial ships that carry America's commerce. They are also used on every Navy and Coast Guard ship, fishing and passenger vessels, and are widely carried by recreational boaters.

What is a BookletChart™?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

Whenever possible, use the official, full scale NOAA nautical chart for navigation. Nautical chart sales agents are listed on the Internet at http://www.NauticalCharts.NOAA.gov.

This BookletChart does NOT fulfill chart carriage requirements for regulated commercial vessels under Titles 33 and 44 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

Notice to Mariners Correction Status

This BookletChart has been updated for chart corrections published in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners, the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency Weekly Notice to Mariners, and, where applicable, the Canadian Coast Guard Notice to Mariners. Additional chart corrections have been made by NOAA in advance of their publication in a Notice to Mariners. The last Notices to Mariners applied to this chart are listed in the Note at the bottom of page 7. Coast Pilot excerpts are not being corrected.

For latest Coast Pilot excerpt visit the Office of Coast Survey website at http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=18457.

(Selected Excerpts from Coast Pilot)
Hammersley Inlet indents the W shore of the sound about 1 mile N of the W end of Squaxin Passage. It is about 6 miles long, expanding at its head into **Oakland Bay**, which is 3.5 miles long in a NE direction. The inlet is obstructed by shoals, particularly at its mouth, where there is an extensive bar. The rocky shoals have been partly removed. The channel, marked by lights on **Libby Point** and **Church Point** has a controlling depth of about 8 feet to the town of Shelton on Oakland Bay. It is navigated only by small craft, and by tugs with log rafts and railroad car floats; local knowledge is required. Tidal current velocities may reach 5 knots at times in the constricted parts of the inlet. (See Tidal Current Tables for current predictions.) Vessels enter on the flood, usually after half tide, and leave on the ebb, usually before maximum strength. Hammersley Inlet is considered dangerous for strangers.
Vessels with sharp rise of bilge should avoid the inlet as there is danger of capsizing in the strong current in case of grounding.
Arcadia is a small settlement on the S point of the entrance of Hammersley Inlet. It has a public ramp for launching small pleasure craft.
Shelton, at the head of the inlet, is a town of some commercial importance. Extensive logging, lumber, and lumber product manufacturing interests are centered here. The W end of **Oakland Bay** is used primarily as a storage area for logs trucked in from the Olympic Peninsula to be used by the mills at Shelton. Hammersly Inlet receives little commercial traffic. Shelton is on a branch of the Burlington Northern Railroad; lumber is shipped largely by rail, however, some railroad car ferrying is done. Railway trestles used as log dumps extend E across the flats from the Shelton waterfront. The Port of Shelton marina, 0.3 mile from the head of the Shelton waterfront and on the N shore, has berths, electricity, gasoline, and water. A yacht club has its facilities at the marina. Some marine supplies are available in the town. There are no haulout or repair facilities at Shelton. Oysters are cultivated in the shoal portions of Oakland Bay.

U.S. Coast Guard Rescue Coordination Center
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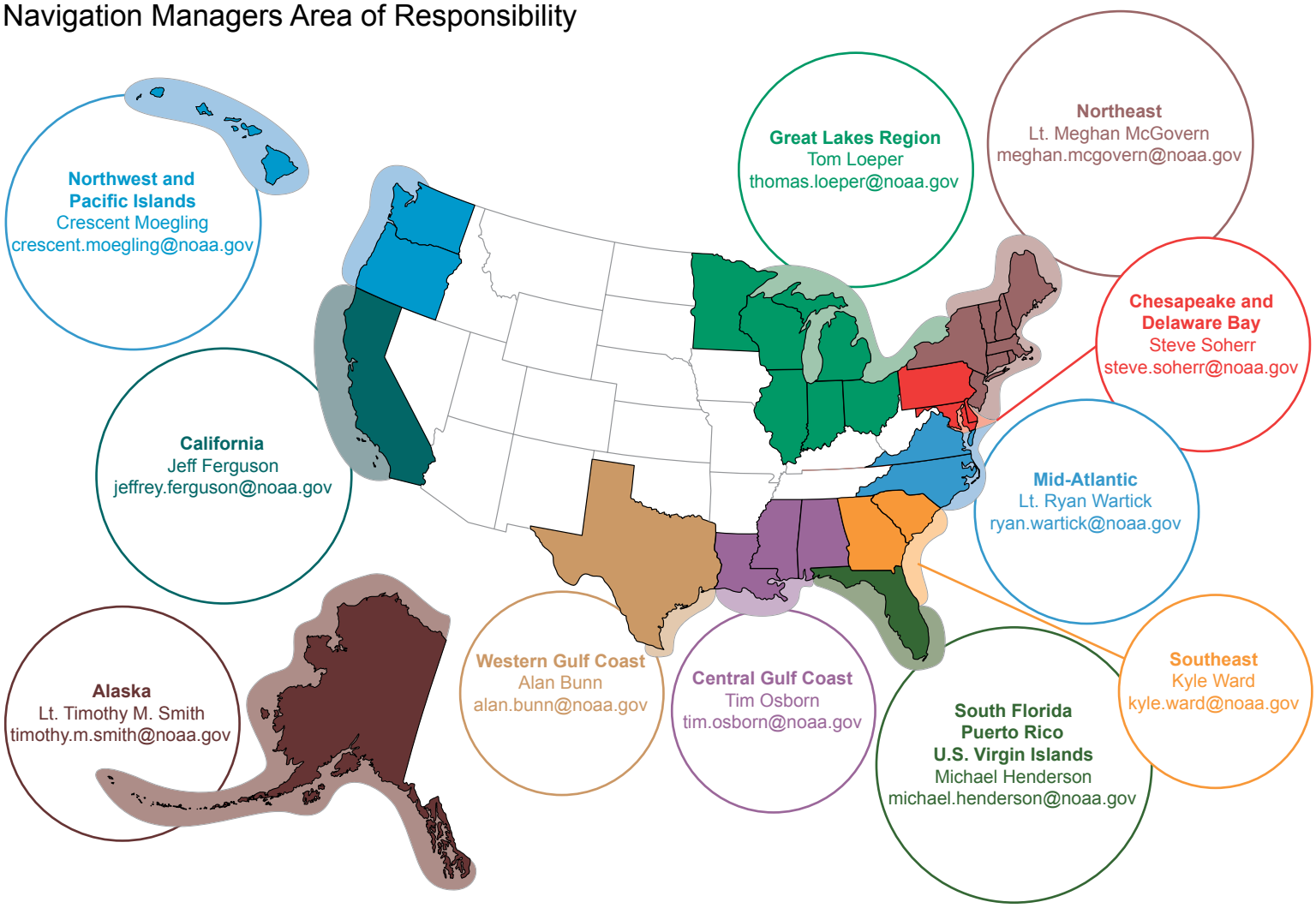

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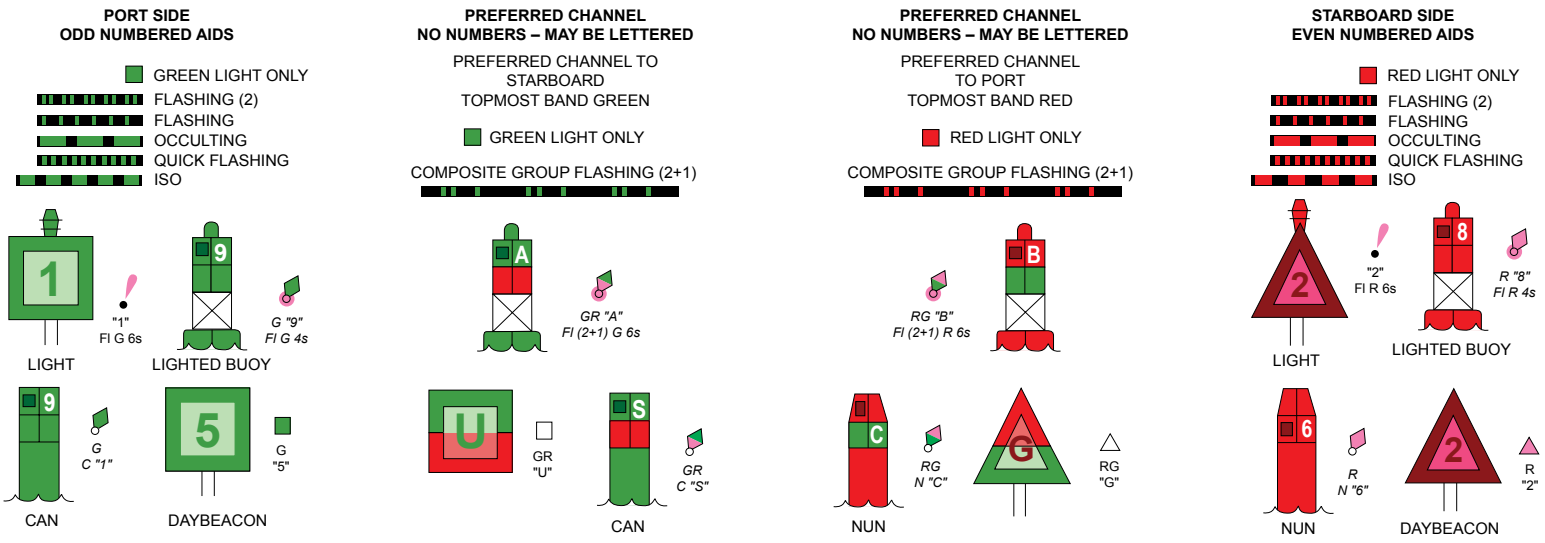
on navigable waters except Western Rivers



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KAPP 1927

06'

123°05'

10'

13'

50'

40'

30'

20'

10'

47° 12'

CAUTION

SUBMARINE PIPELINES AND CABLES

Charted submarine pipelines and submarine cables and submarine pipeline and cable areas are shown as:

Pipeline Area

Cable Area

Additional uncharted submarine pipelines and submarine cables may exist within the area of this chart. Not all submarine pipelines and submarine cables are required to be buried, and those that were originally buried may have become exposed. Mariners should use extreme caution when operating vessels in depths of water comparable to their draft in areas where pipelines and cables may exist, and when anchoring, dragging, or trawling.

Covered wells may be marked by lighted or unlighted buoys.

SHELTON

Goldsborough Creek

TANK

Floats

Piles and dolphins

Numerous piling

Log boom

OVERHEAD CONVEYOR

Snag

Conveyors

Log Pond

Snags

BNRR

CARMILL STAT

180

200

100

120

140

160

180

200

06'

123°05'

KAPP 1718

01'

123°

Church Pt

FR 6s 20ft 4M "G"

Marsh

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COLREGS, 80 1395 (see note A)

International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972.

The entire area of this chart falls seaward of the COLREGS Demarcation L

NOTE B

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Nautical Miles

0

Yards

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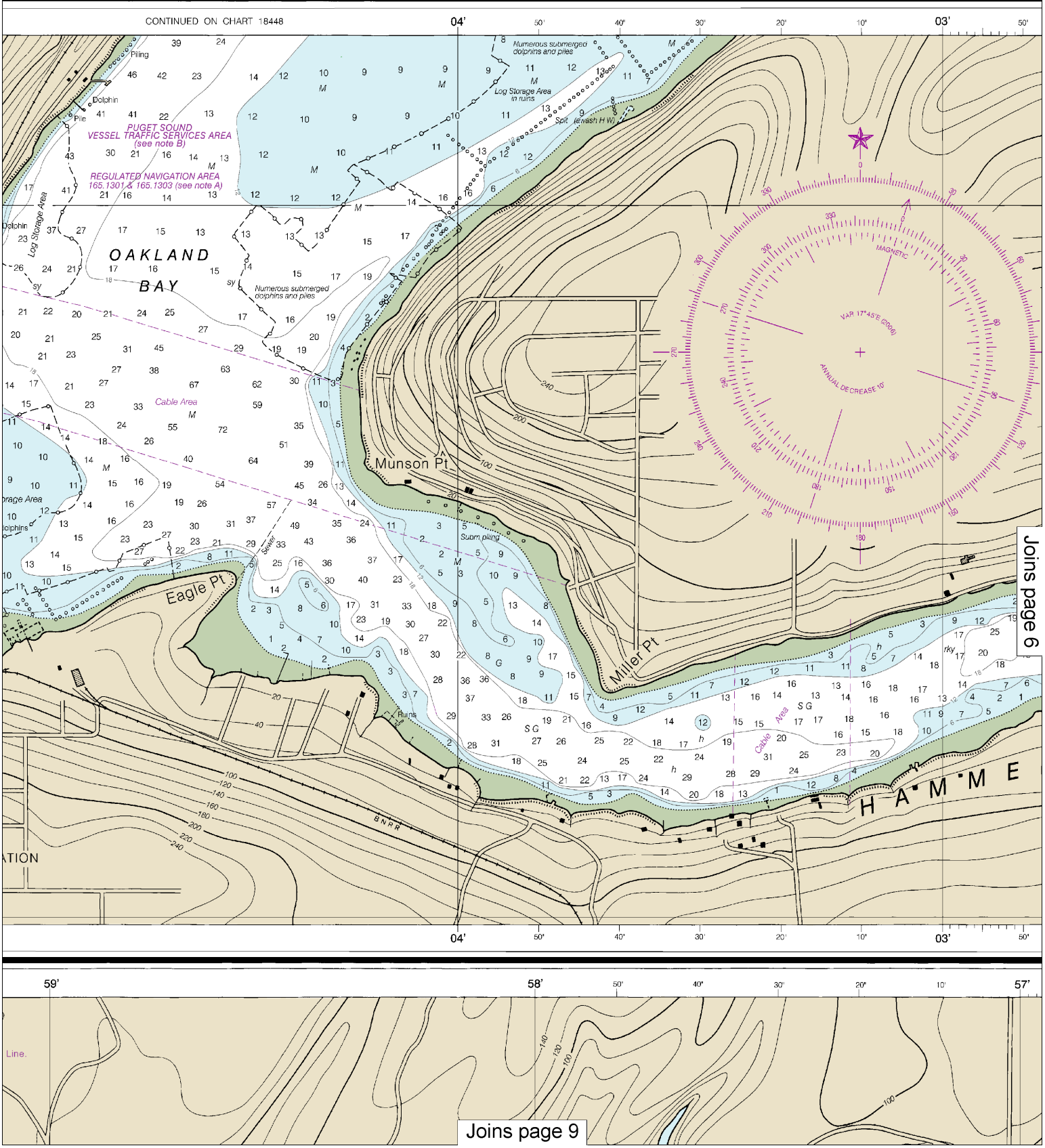

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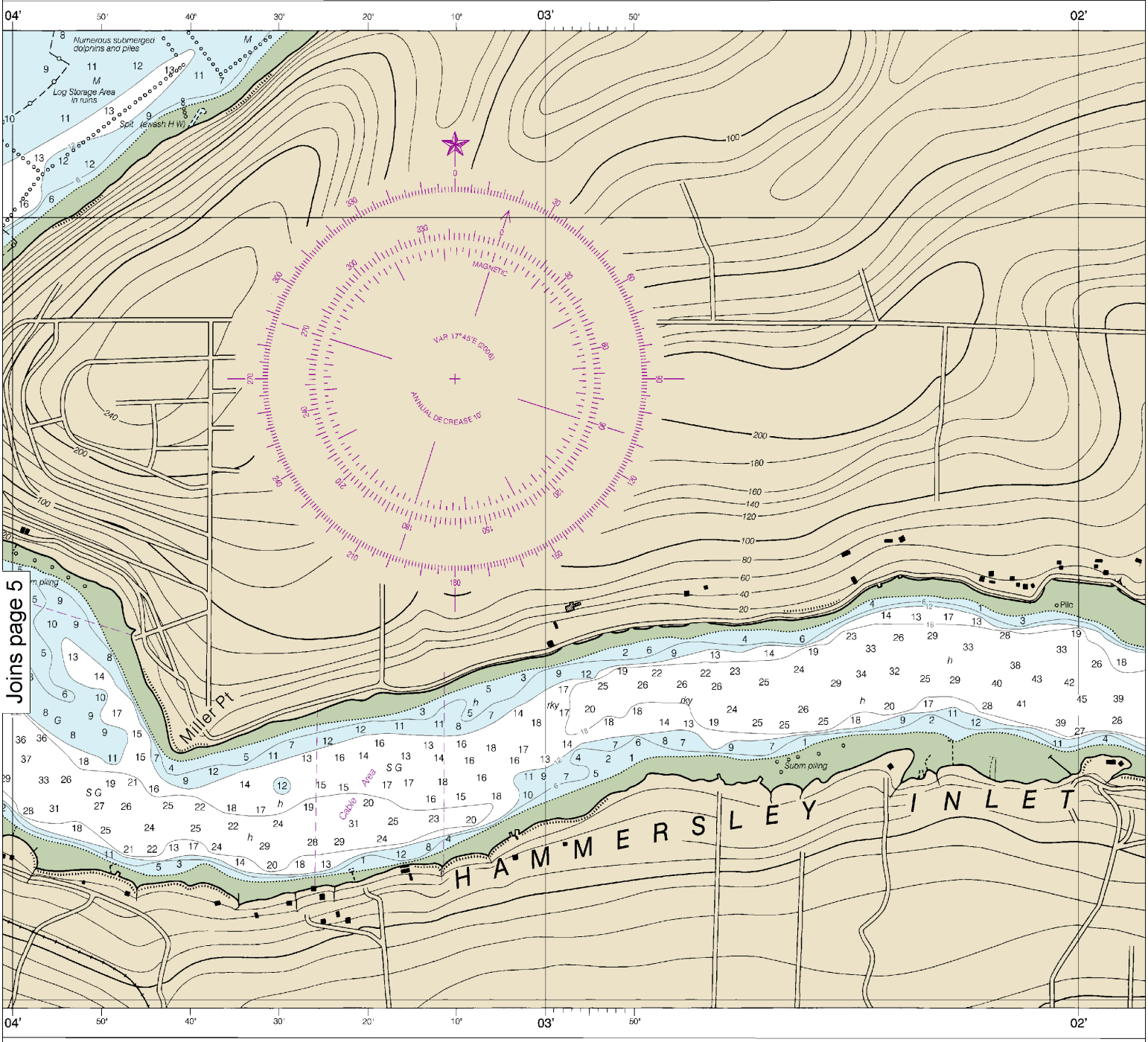

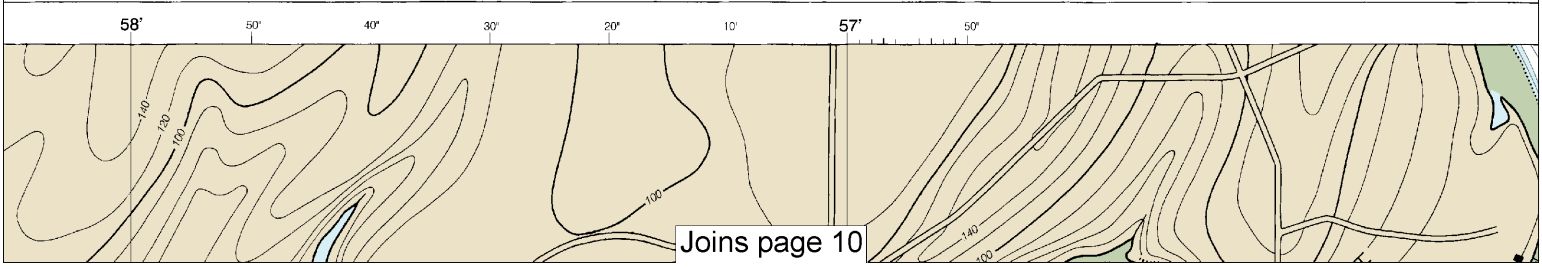

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Yards

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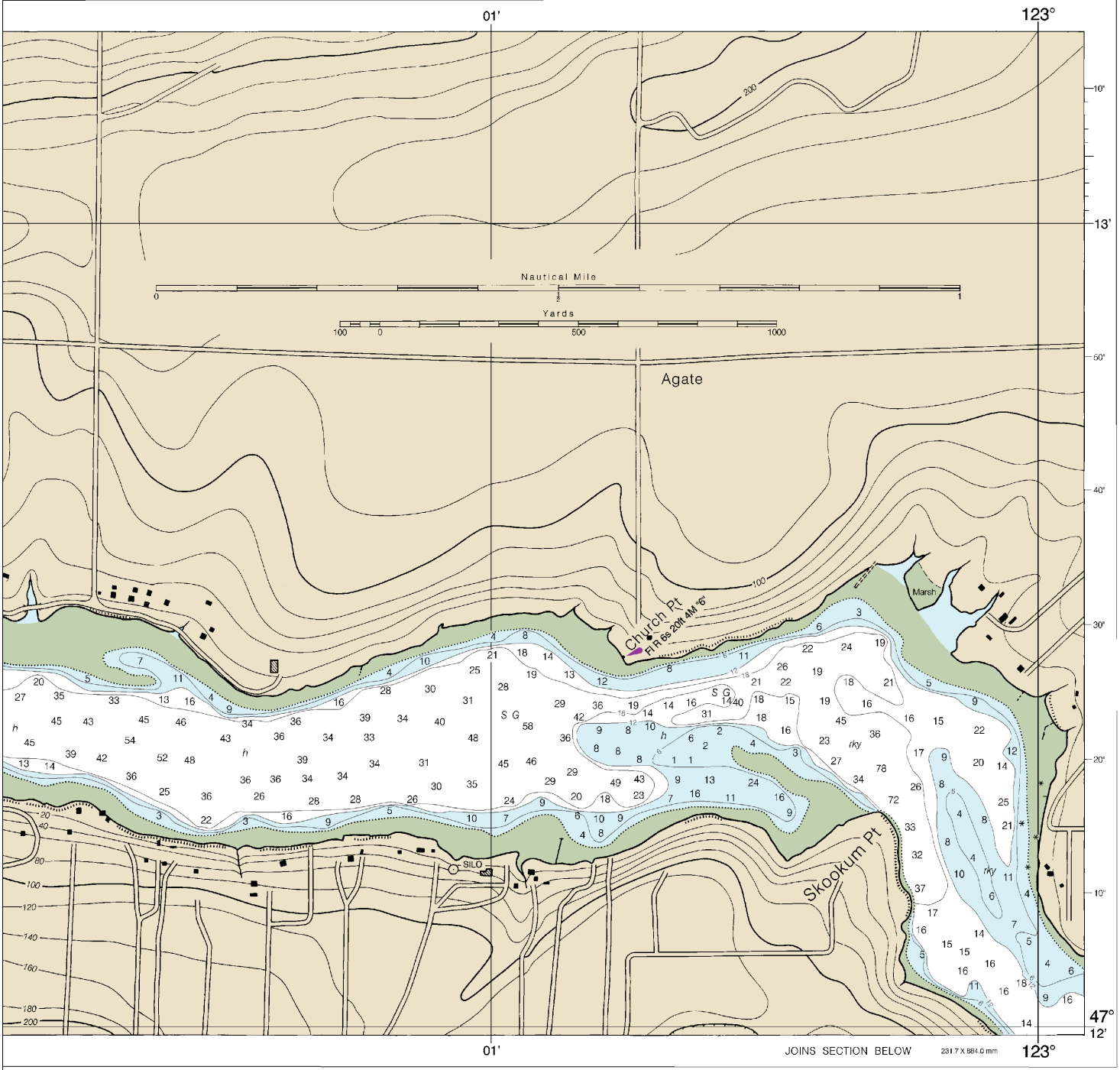

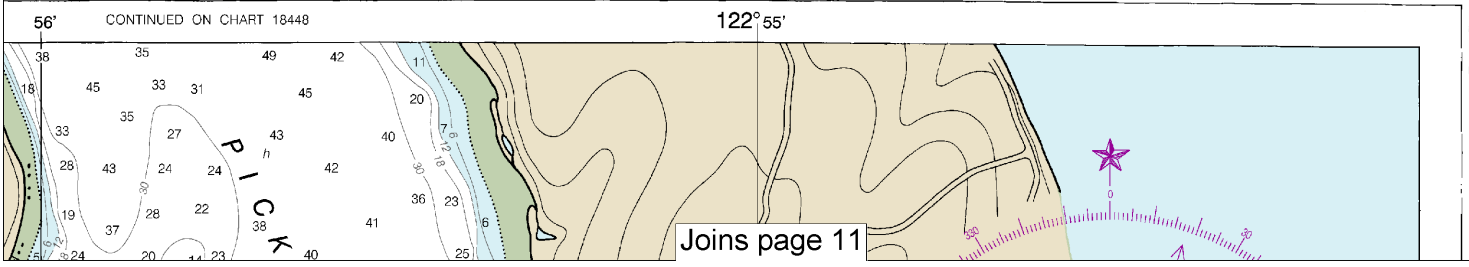

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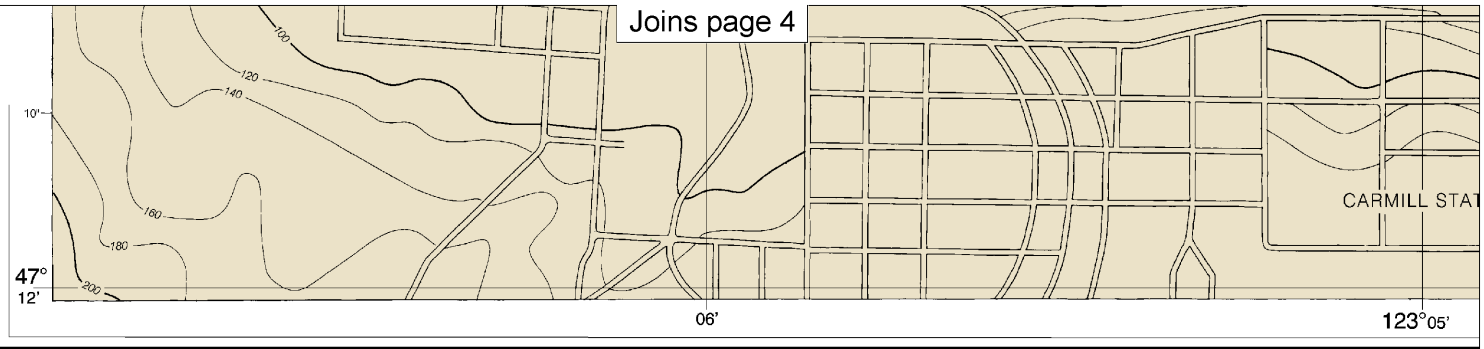

KAPP 1718

01'

123°

JOINS SECTION ABOVE

Church Pt

FR 6s 20ft 4M "6"

Marsh

SILO

Skookum Pt

Libby Pt

FlR 4s 18ft 4M "4"

Mill Creek

12'

50'

40'

30'

20'

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HORIZONTAL DATUM

The horizontal reference datum of this chart is North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), which for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS 84). Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1927 must be corrected an average of 0.652" southward and 4.517" westward to agree with this chart.

NOAA WEATHER RADIO BROADCASTS

The NOAA Weather Radio station listed below provides continuous weather broadcasts. The reception range is typically 20 to 40 nautical miles from the antenna site, but can be as much as 100 nautical miles for stations at high elevations.

Seattle, WA KHB-60 162.55 MHz

RADAR REFLECTORS

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Refer to charted regulation section numbers.

POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous substances to the National Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (toll free), or

MAGNETIC

VAR 17°45'E (2006)

ANNUAL DECREASE 10'

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Nautical Miles

0

Yards

200 0 200 400 600 800 1000 1200

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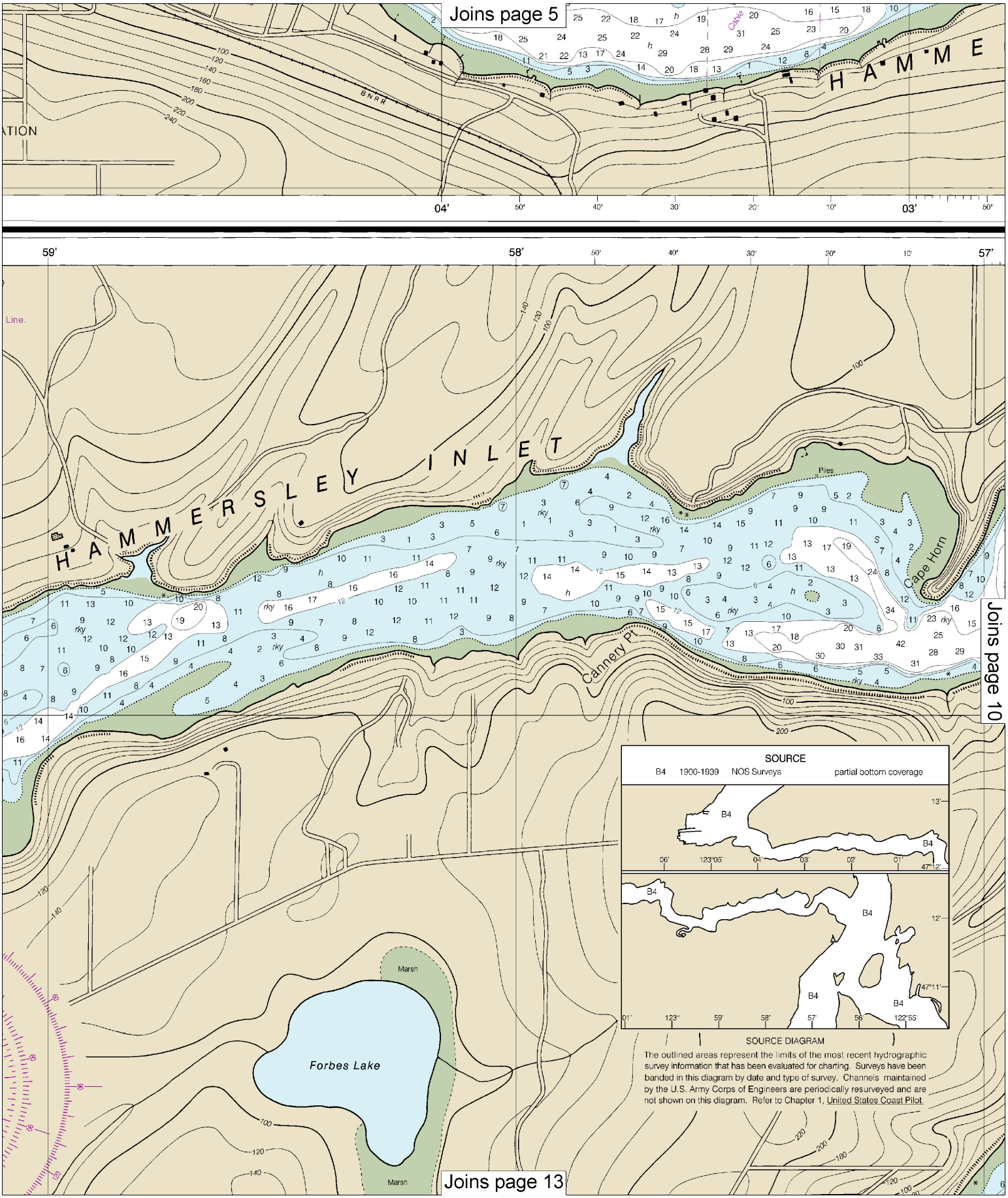
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HAMME
BNRR
04'
03'
59'
58'
57'
HAMMERSLEY INLET
Cape Horn
Canney Pt
Piles
Joins page 10
Forbes Lake
Marsh
Marsh
Joins page 13
SOURCE
B4 1900-1939 NOS Surveys partial bottom coverage
B4
B4
B4
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SOURCE DIAGRAM
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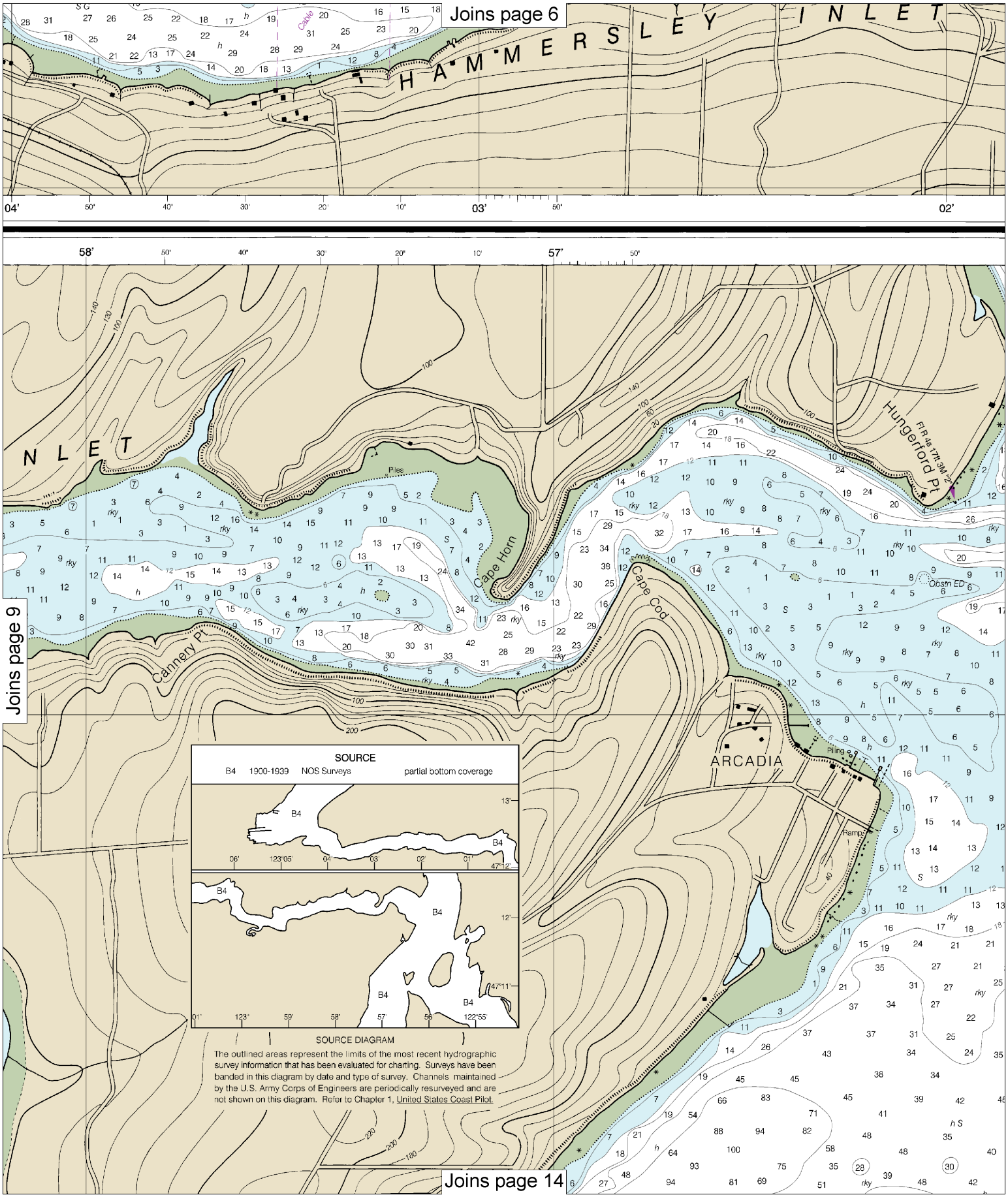

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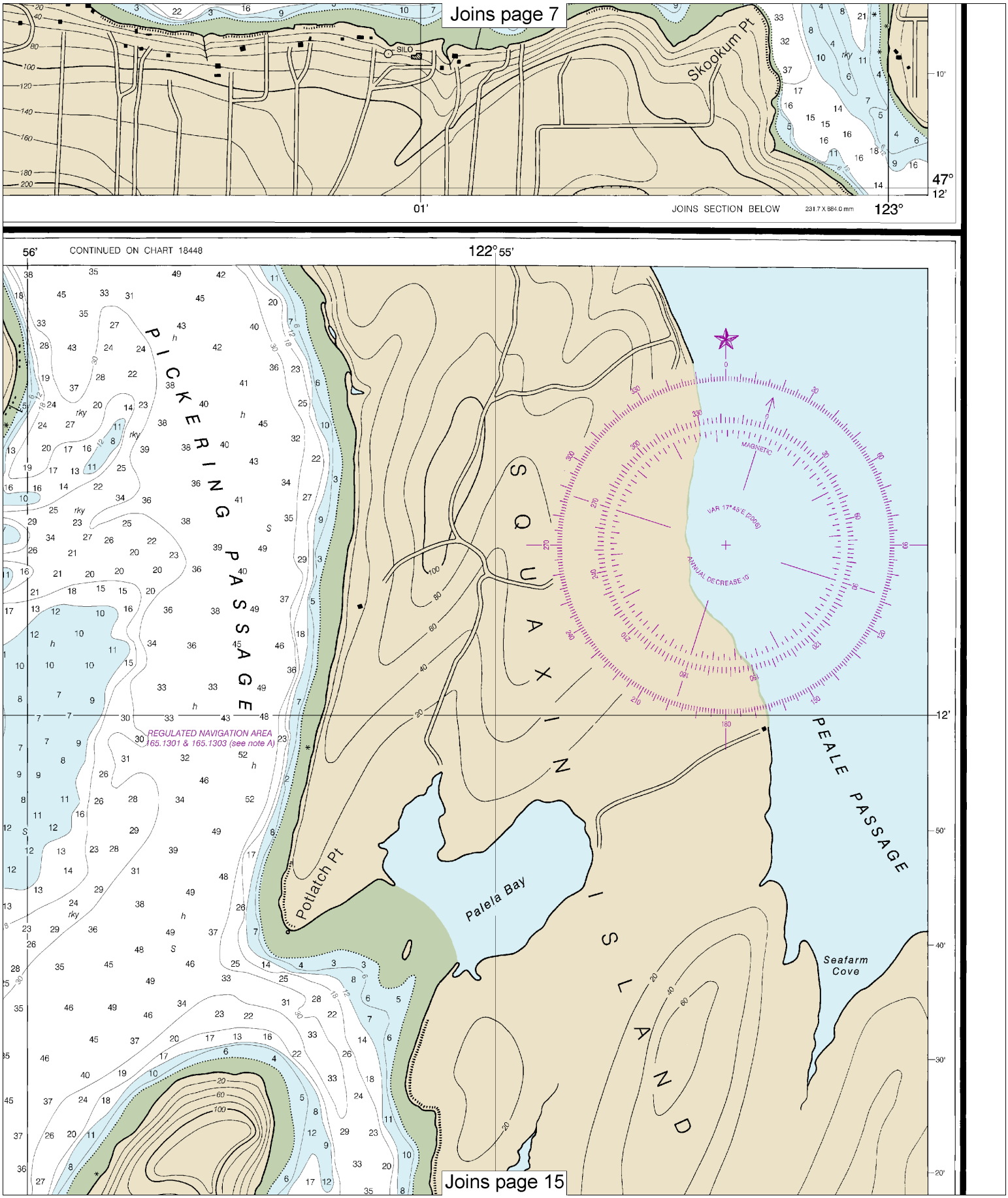
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SILO
Skookum Pt
47° 12'
01'
JOINS SECTION BELOW
231.7 X 884.0 mm
123°
56'
CONTINUED ON CHART 18448
122° 55'
PICKERING PASSAGE
SQUAXIN ISLAND
REGULATED NAVIGATION AREA
165.1301 & 165.1303 (see note A)
Potlatch Pt
Palela Bay
PEALE PASSAGE
Seafarm Cove
MAGNETIC
VAR 17°45'E (2008)
ANNUAL DECREASE 1.0
12'
50'
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20'
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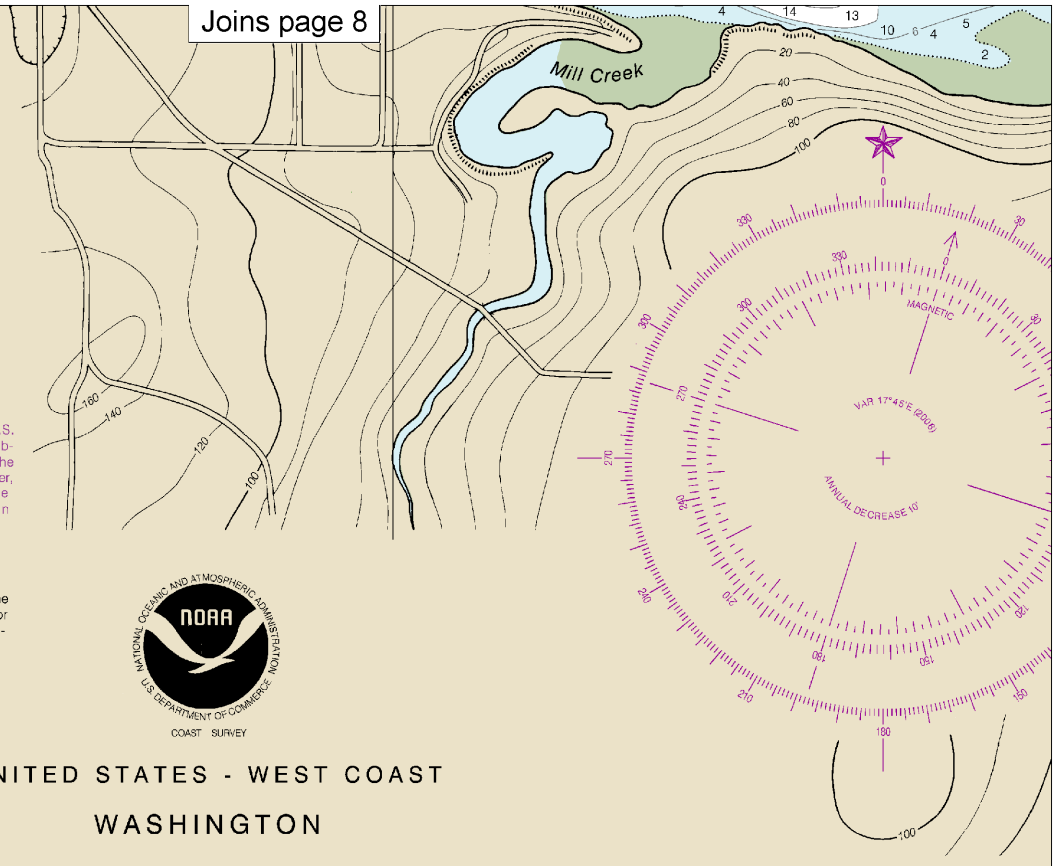

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UNITED STATES - WEST COAST

WASHINGTON

PUGET SOUND

HAMMERSLEY INLET TO SHELTON

Mercator Projection
Scale 1:10,000 at Lat. 47°12'

North American Datum of 1983
(World Geodetic System 1984)

SOUNDINGS IN FEET
AT MEAN LOWER LOW WATER

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Nautical Mile

Yards

ABBREVIATIONS
Aids to Navigation (ligh
AERO aeronautic
Al alternating
B black
Bn beacon
C can
DIA diaphone
F fixed
Fl flashing

Bottom characteristics:
Blds boulders
bk broken
Cy clay

Miscellaneous:
AUTH authorized
ED existence do
(2) Wreck, rock,
(2) Rocks that

TIDAL INFORMATION

Place Name	(LAT/LONG)	Height referred to datum of soundings (MLLW) Mean Higher High Water	Mean High Water	Mean Low Water	Extreme Low Water
		feet	feet	feet	feet
Arcadia	(47°12'N / 122°56'W)	14.4	13.4	3.0	-5.0
Shelton	(47°13'N / 123°05'W)	14.2	13.2	2.6	-5.0

(Dec 2005)

AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Consult U.S. Coast Guard Light List for supplemental information concerning aids to navigation.

CAUTION

Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Local Notice to Mariners.

Hydro
Ocean S
Enginee

47° 11'
01'
123°

CAUTION

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SOUND

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Nautical Miles

Yards

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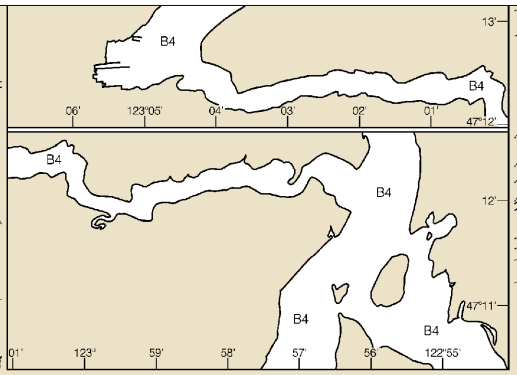

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Forbes Lake

Marsh

Marsh

(For complete list of Symbols and Abbreviations, see Chart No. 1.)
ghts are white unless otherwise indicated):

tical	G green	Mo morse code	R TR radio tower
	IQ interrupted quick	N nun	Rot rotating
	Iso isophase	OBSC obscured	s seconds
	LT HO lighthouse	Oc occulting	SEC sector
	M nautical mile	Or orange	St M statute miles
	m minutes	Q quick	VQ very quick
	MICRO TR microwave tower	R red	W white
	Mkr marker	Ra Ref radar reflector	WHIS whistle
		R Bn radiobeacon	Y yellow

s:

Co coral	gy grey	Oys oysters	so soft
G gravel	h hard	Rk rock	Sh shells
Grs grass	M mud	S sand	sy sticky

ed	Obstn obstruction	PD position doubtful	Subm submerged
doubtful	PA position approximate	Rep reported	

ck, obstruction, or shoal swept clear to the depth indicated.
t cover and uncover, with heights in feet above datum of soundings.

HEIGHTS

Heights in feet above Mean High Water.

AUTHORITIES

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Consult U.S. Coast Pilot 7 for important supplemental information.

WARNING

The prudent mariner will not rely solely on any single aid to navigation, particularly on floating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List and U.S. Coast Pilot for details.

TOTTEN

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59' 58' 50' 40' 30' 20' 10' 57'

DINGS IN FEET

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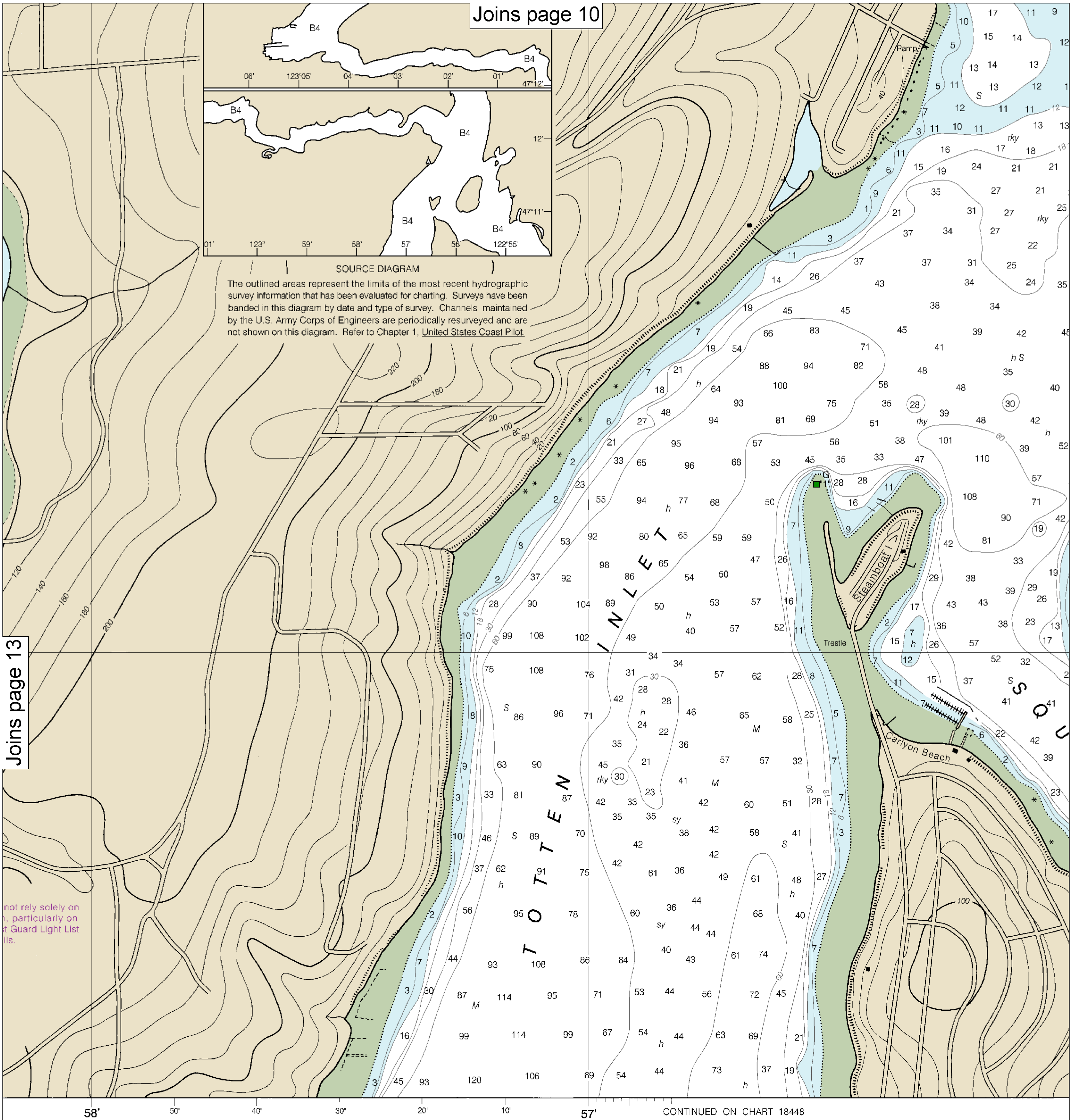

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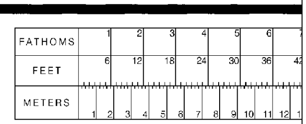

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Nautical Miles

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Yards

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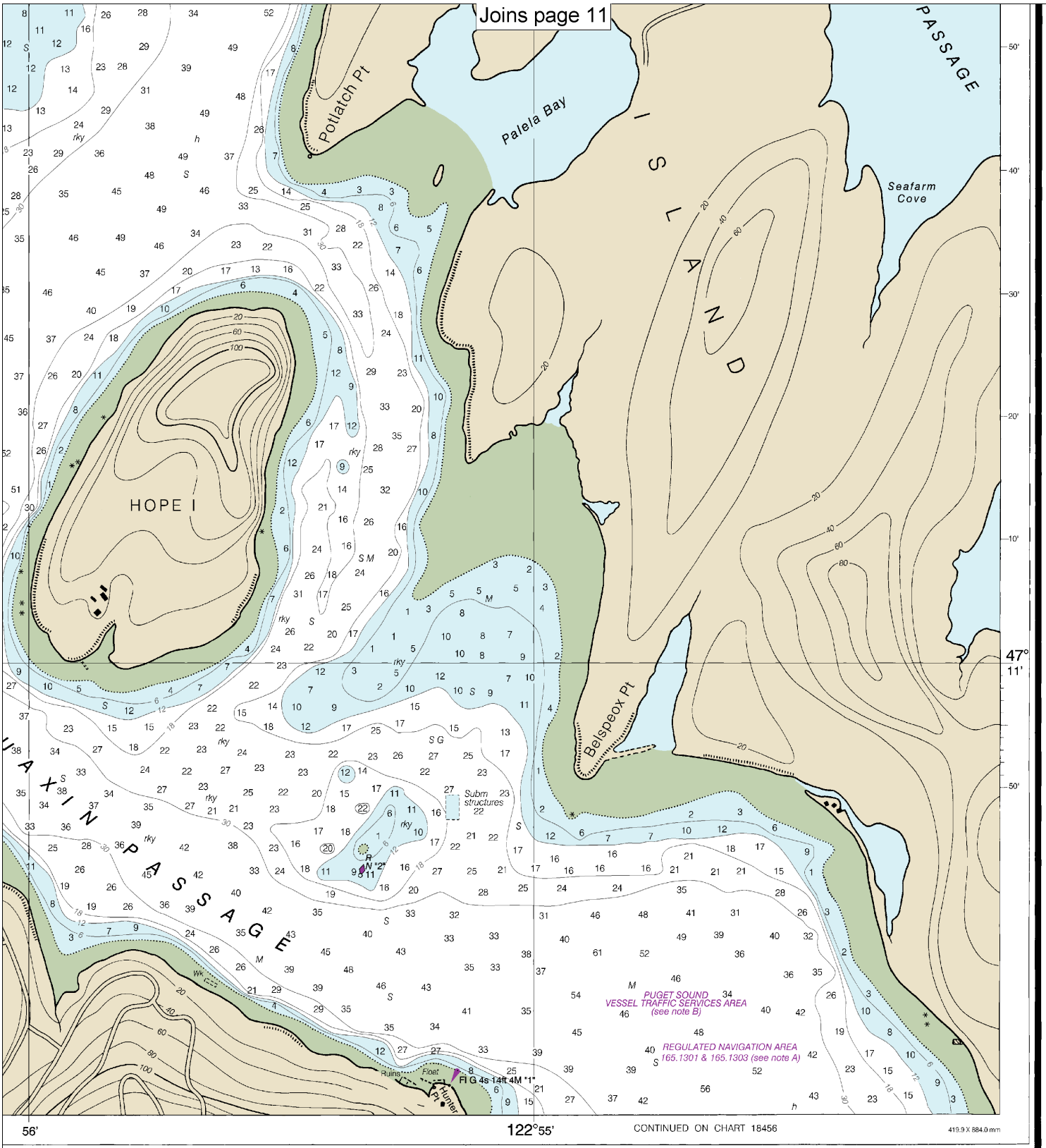

Hammersley Inlet to Shelton

SOUNDINGS IN FEET - SCALE 1:10,000

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EMERGENCY INFORMATION

VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.
Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.
Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.
Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.
Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here.
Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 and 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Getting and Giving Help — Signal other boaters using visual distress signals (flares, orange flag, lights, arm signals); whistles; horns; and on your VHF radio. You are required by law to help boaters in trouble. Respond to distress signals, but do not endanger yourself.

Distress Call Procedures

- Make sure radio is on.
- Select Channel 16.
- Press/Hold the transmit button.
- Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of Emergency; Number of People on Board.
- Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds — If no response Repeat MAYDAY call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!

All Hazards NOAA Weather Radio NOAA's National Weather Service

NOAA Weather Radio All Hazards (NWR) is a nationwide network of radio stations broadcasting continuous weather information directly from the nearest National Weather Service office. NWR broadcasts official Weather Service warnings, watches, forecasts and other hazard information 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
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